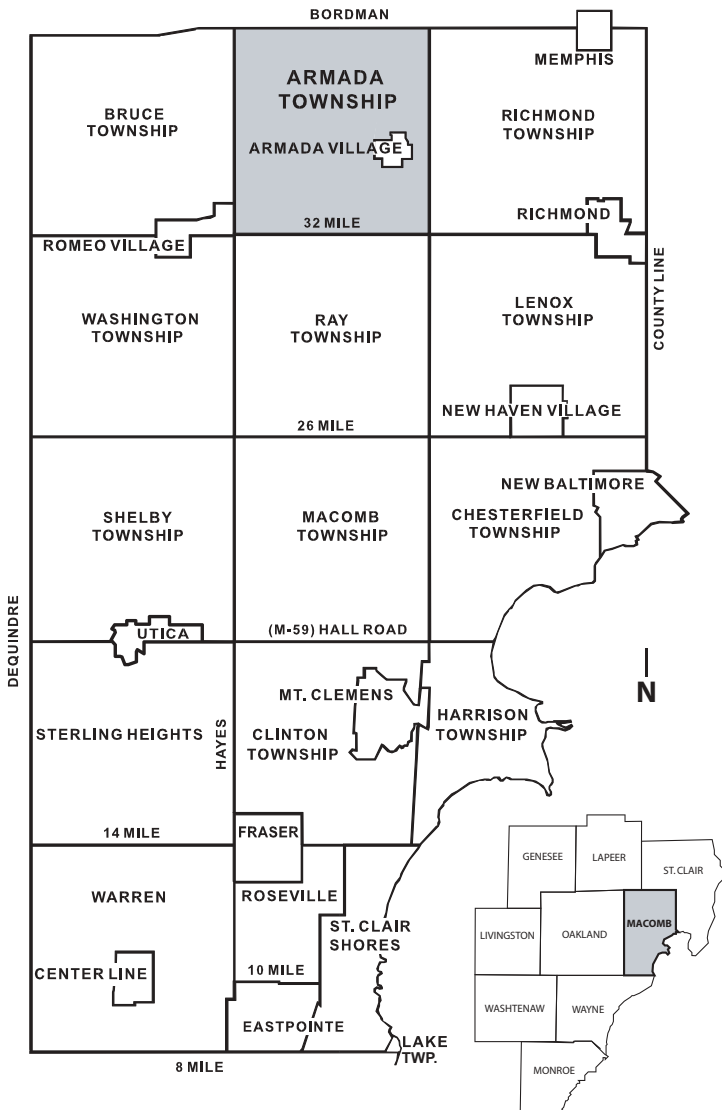


Armada Township

Macomb County, Michigan



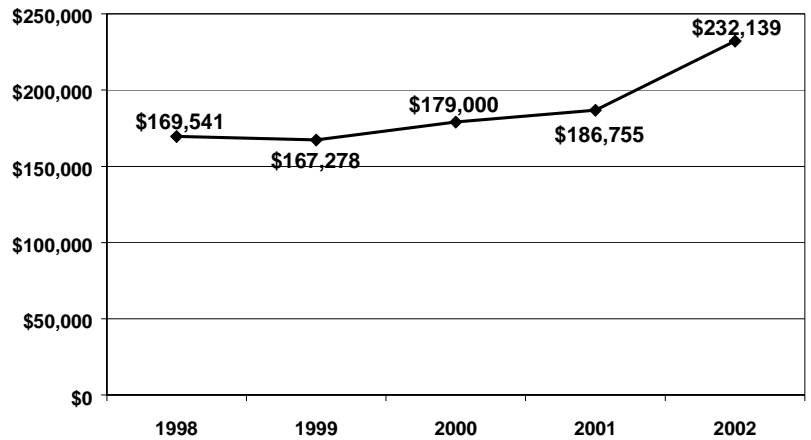
Armada Township is located in north-central Macomb County. It borders St. Clair County to the north, Thirty-two Mile Road on the south, and Bruce and Richmond Townships to the west and east respectfully.

Organized in 1832 the Township developed as an agricultural area due to fertile soils. Today, the area has retained this rural character with a 2000 population of 3,673 residents primarily residing in single-family homes on large lots. Less than fifteen percent of the Township's land is utilized for residential dwellings while over seventy-three percent is devoted to agriculture or remains vacant.

Romeo Plank Road and North Avenue provide north-south linkages to the southern, urbanized portions of Macomb County. Armada Ridge and Armada Center Roads carry the majority of east-west traffic. The Macomb Orchard Trail, which will be located on the abandoned Grand Trunk rail line, will provide an important non-motorized recreational linkage to the rest of the County and region.

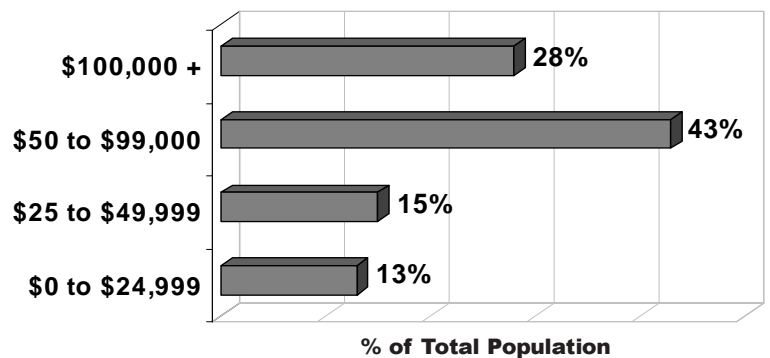


Average Housing Costs



Source: MiRealSource 1998-2002 Data

Household Income - 2000



Source: U.S. Census, 2000

Employment - 2000

Industrial Class	1990	2000	% Change
Agricultural, Mining, and Natural Resources	38%	11%	-27%
Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	n/a	n/a	
Manufacturing	17%	44%	27%
Public Administration	n/a	n/a	
Retail Trade	n/a	n/a	
Services	34%	34%	0%
Transportation, Communications, and Utility	1%	3%	2%
Wholesale Trade	5%	3%	-2%
Total Employment	339	631	

Based on 100% of Total Population

Source: SEMCOG, Employment by Industrial Class, 2000

Top Employers - 2003

Rank	Company Name	#Emp
1	Korten Quality Systems Ltd.	110
2	20th Century Machine Co. Inc.	100
3	Blakes Orchard & Cider Mill	60
3	Michigan Lime Haulers	60
4	Van Paemel Equipment Co.	4

Source: Harris 2003 Michigan Industrial Directory

Community Contacts

General Number (586) 784-5200
23121 East Main
Armada, MI 48005

**Romeo - Washington
Chamber of Commerce**
(586) 752-3266
www.rwchamber.com

Land Size - 2000
35.8 Square Miles

Median Household Income (2000)
\$74,750

2002 Tax Rate: Average Total Homestead:
\$25.65 per \$1000 State Equalized Value

Average Total Nonhomestead
\$43.57 per \$1000 State Equalized Value

2002 Apportionment Report, Macomb County Equalization

Culture & Recreation

Armada Fair	Aug.
Applefest	Oct.
Halloween Happenings	Oct.
Lighted Implement Parade	Dec.
Tree Lighting & Sing Along	Dec.
Colonel Perry Norman House (Historic Site)	
Macomb Orchard Trail	

Economic Incentives

Tax Abatement

Major Roadways

Romeo Plank Road, North Avenue,
Armada Ridge Road, Armada Center
Road

Rail Lines

Conrail to the south and Grand Trunk to
the southeast

Educational Facilities

In Macomb County

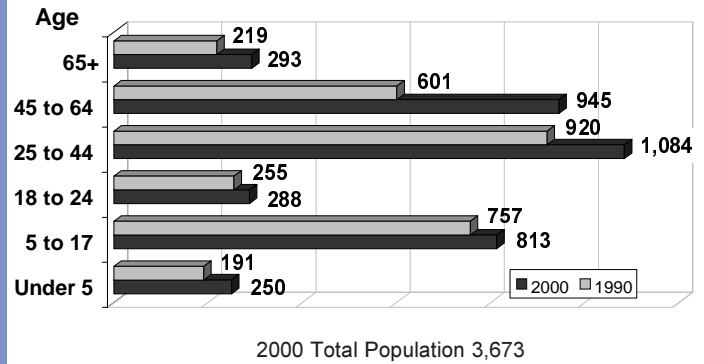
Baker College
Dorsey Business School
Macomb Community College (MCC)
University Center (MCC)
Central Michigan University
Eastern Michigan University
Michigan Technological University
Oakland University
University of Detroit Mercy
Walsh College
Wayne State University

Land Use - 2003

Land Use Type	Acres	%
Single-Family	3,249	14%
Multiple-Family	6	0%
Commercial-Office	51	0%
Industrial	21	0%
Transportation, Communication, and Utility	49	0%
Extractive	0	0%
Water	23	0%
Institutional	66	0%
Recreation	25	0%
Vacant (Cultivated, Grassland, and Shrub)	16,714	73%
Woodland and Wetland	2,627	11%
Under Development	104	
Total Acres	22,935	

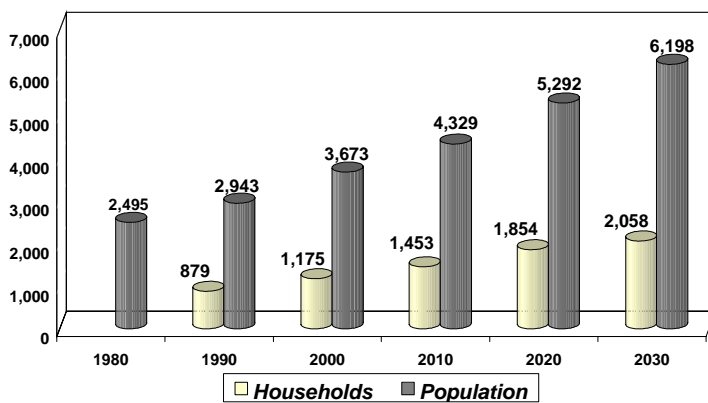
Source: SEMCOG Land Use / Land Coverage for Macomb County, 2003

Population by Age



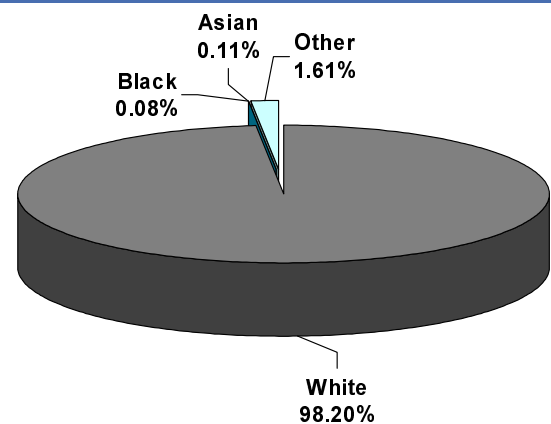
Source: U.S. Census, 2000

Population & Household Projections



Source: SEMCOG, Regional Development Forecast, 2000

Population by Race - 2000



Source: U.S. Census, 2000

Utilities

Electric	Detroit Edison	1-800-477-4747
Gas	Consumers Power	1-800-477-5050
Phone	SBC	1-800-244-4444
Cable/High Speed Internet	Comcast	1-800-427-7662

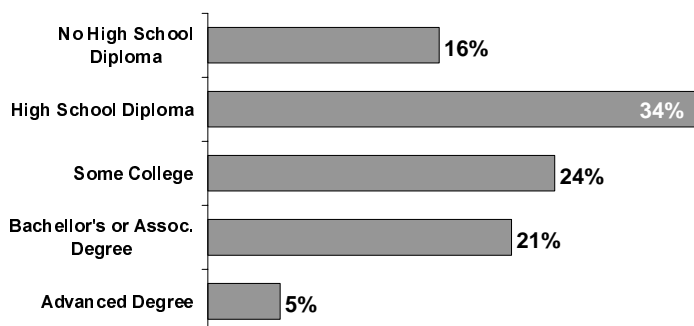
Education

School Districts:

Armada	(586) 784-4511
Romeo	(586) 752-0200

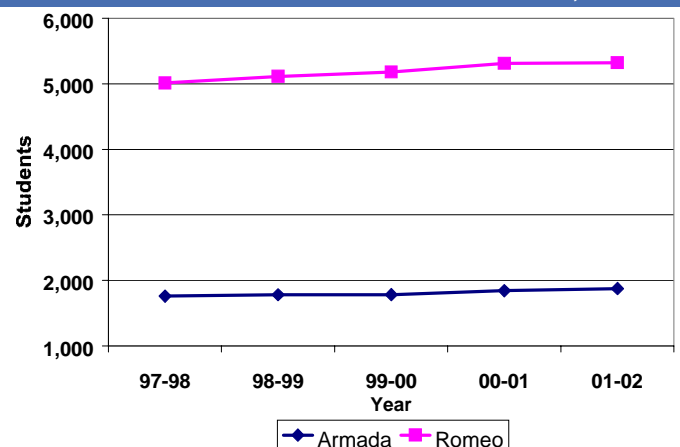
Educational Attainment - 2000

(People Over 25 Years of Age)

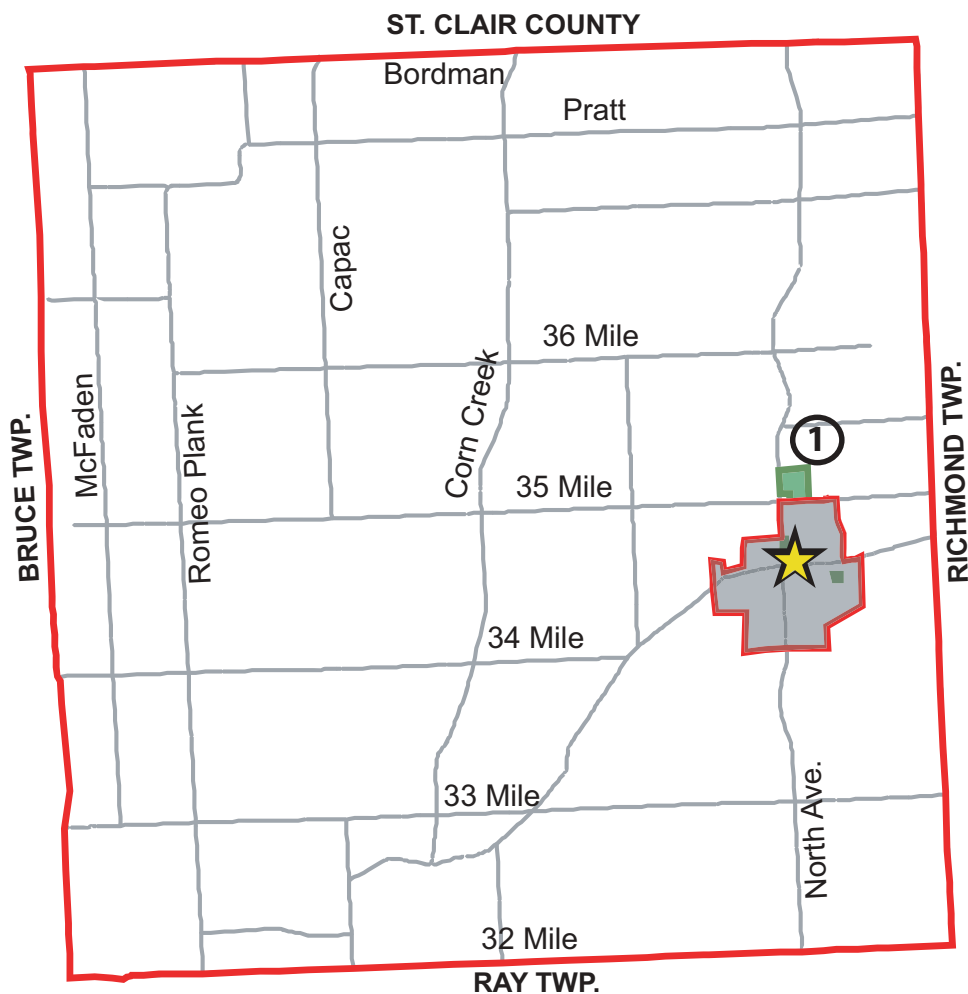


Source: U.S. Census, 2000

School District Enrollment, K-12



Source: Michigan School Report, 1999 & 2002



Source: Macomb County GIS, 2003

Parks

<u>PARKS</u>	<u>ACRES</u>
(1) Armada Twp. Park	24

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